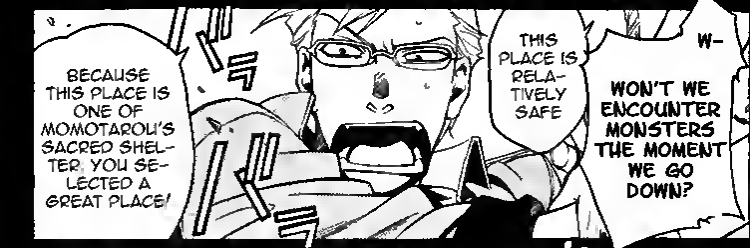
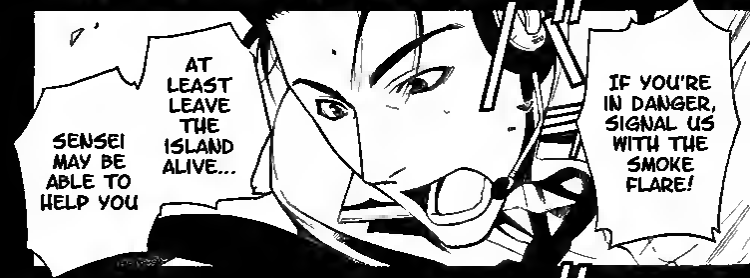
MUSTU AND KASHII ARE ABOUT TO EMBARK ON A TWO-MAN ADVENTURE


BECAUSE THIS PLACE IS ONE OF MOMOTAROU'S SACRED SHELTER. YOU SELECTED A GREAT PLACE!
THIS PLACE IS RELATIVELY SAFE
W-
WON'T WE ENCOUNTER MONSTERS THE MOMENT WE GO DOWN?

LOCATION: DEMON TERRITORY WHERE NO HUMANS MAY ENTER



TIME LEFT: 5 DAYS

RETURNING ALIVE IS THE EXAM OBJECTIVE

第12話　「LIFE＝條份」
CHAPTER 12: LIFE POINTS

LOCATION
MOMOTAROU SOUTHERNMOST TEMPORARY SHELTER
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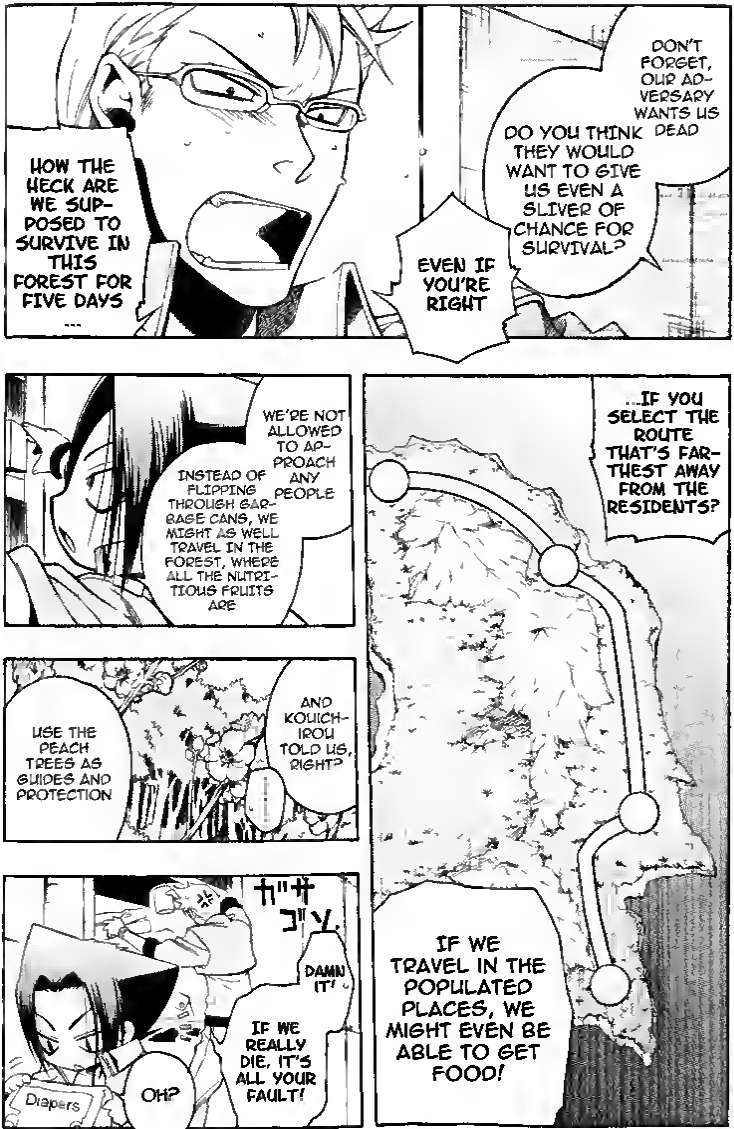
CONFIRMED
WHOA
OHH ...
WORTHY TO BE CALLED A TEMPORARY SHELTER, THIS PLACE IS PACKED WITH VALUABLES!
HOW ARE THESE VALUABLE? AT LEAST PROVIDE US WITH SURVIVAL KITS!
LIKE A GAS HEATER AND PORTABLE TOILET...
OR EVEN A TURNABLE FLASHLIGHT OR SOMETHING!
CAN YOU CHANGE THAT "I NEED TO BE TAKEN CARE OF ANYWHERE I GO" ATTITUDE OF YOURS?

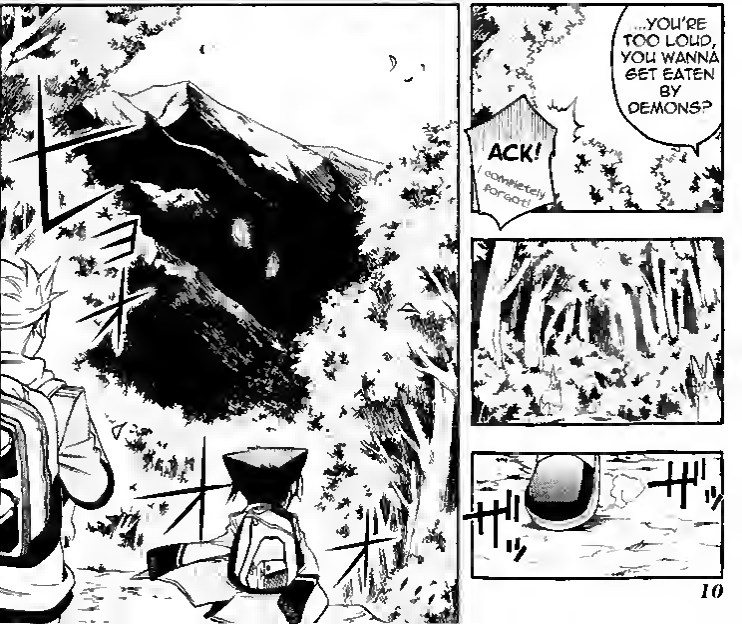

HOW THE HECK ARE WE SUPPOSED TO SURVIVE IN THIS FOREST FOR FIVE DAYS ...
EVEN IF YOU'RE RIGHT
DO YOU THINK THEY WOULD WANT TO GIVE US EVEN A SLIVER OF CHANCE FOR SURVIVAL?
DON'T FORGET, OUR ADVERSARY WANTS US DEAD
INSTEAD OF FLIPPING THROUGH GARBAGE CANS, WE MIGHT AS WELL TRAVEL IN THE FOREST, WHERE ALL THE NUTRITIOUS FRUITS ARE
WE'RE NOT ALLOWED TO APPROACH ANY PEOPLE
USE THE PEACH TREES AS GUIDES AND PROTECTION
AND KOUICHIROU TOLD US, RIGHT?
...IF YOU SELECT THE ROUTE THAT'S FARTHEST AWAY FROM THE RESIDENTS?
IF WE TRAVEL IN THE POPULATED PLACES, WE MIGHT EVEN BE ABLE TO GET FOOD!
Diapers
OH?
IF WE REALLY DIE, IT'S ALL YOUR FAULT!
DAMN IT!

KASHII, IF YOU ABSOLUTELY NEED A PORTABLE POTTY,
TRY WEARING THIS
HUH?
WHA-!
BASTARD! WHO WOULD WEAR THAT!!
HEHE
GOOD, IT'S FINALLY BEGUN
LIVE DEATH
NACHI, WHAT WILL YOU BET FOR? THAT THEY'LL DIE? OR LIVE?
AS FOR ME, I SUPPOSE THEY'LL SURVIVE FOR MAYBE THREE DAYS...
THE COLD-HEARTED COMPETITION OF LIVE SACRIFICES!

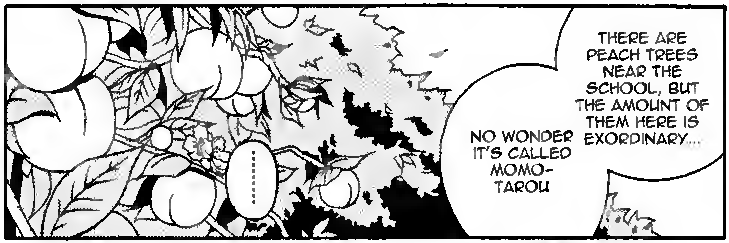
IF THEY CAN'T BECOME DEMON HUNTERS, AS THE RULE, WE ARE TO ERASE THEIR MEMORIES AND RETURN THEM TO JAPAN, EVEN IF MUSASHI-SAMA TOOK PITY ON THEM
AS A RESULT, WHAT DO YOU THINK THE RESIDENTS OF THIS ISLAND WILL THINK?
I DON'T THINK THIS IS RIGHT...
THIS KIND OF EXAMI-NATION
.....
NACHI, I..
THEN,
NACHI, YOU'RE GOING TO BET NEITHER OF THEM WILL COME BACK ALIVE?
A CHILD'S PRANK?
UNFORTU-NATELY, ONLY A KID WILL BE-LIEVE A KID'S WORDS
I'M LETTING THEM EXPERI-ENCE THE GEN-TLEST WAY OF GETTING RID OF AN INTRUDER
THAT KID'S DECLARA-TION, WHAT DO YOU THINK OF IT?

THIS ISLAND IS JUST TOO BORING
WHY NOT JUST INVADE WITH TEN THOUSAND DEMON HUNTERS?
WHAT'S KEEPING YOU? IF YOU DON'T HURRY UP, WE WON'T BE ABLE TO REACH THE NEXT SHELTER BEFORE SUNSET
KLANG
KLUNG
HUHUU
YOU BASTARD LOOKING LIKE THIS IS NATURAL FOR YOU

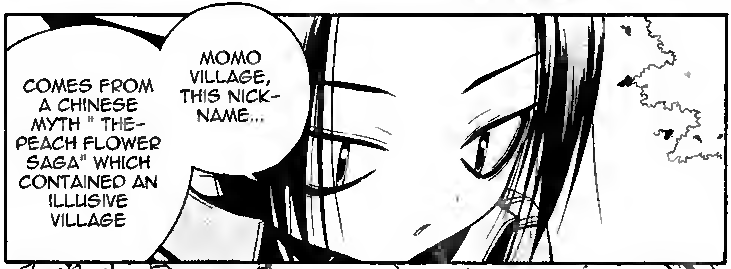
IN ANY CASE, WHY IS YOUR EQUIP-MENT SO LIGHT?
WHERE'S THE TENT AND GAS HEATER?
VERY LIGHT~
UNNECES-SARY EQUIPMENT IS UNNEC-ESSARY
IT'S THE BASICS THE LIFE!
WHAT ABOUT FIRE? WHERE ARE YOU GOING TO SLEEP?!
THAT'S WHY I NEED TO GET TO THE NEXT SHELTER BEFORE SUNSET
AND...


...YOU'RE TOO LOUD, YOU WANNA GET EATEN BY DEMONS?
ACK!
I completely forgot!

Clatter
I--IS IT BECAUSE OF THE SHADOWS OF THE MOUNTAIN RANGES?
I'M FEELING USUALLY COLD
YEAH, THERE'S AN INCREDIBLY DARK AURA PRESENT
BECAUSE THE PEACH TREES SUDDENLY END HERE
WE HAVE NO CHOICE
KASHII, GET SOME PEACH TREE BRANCHES, AS MANY AS YOU CAN
WHAT!?
It's damn heavy already!
OF COURSE, GET SOME FRESH PEACHES TOO



TL Note: Peach Island



INSIDE THE CAVERN WAS A VERY VAST. PEOPLE WHO ES-CAPED FROM THE OUTSIDE WORLD GATHERED AND WERE LIVING A PEACEFUL LIFE
A FISHERMAN WHILE CHASING THE FISH STOCK, FOUND HIMSELF LOST INSIDE A FOREST. THERE HE FOUND A PEACH FOREST AND A CAVERN...

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HOW DOES A NINE YEAR OLD KNOW ALL THIS ?
THE FISHERMAN COULD NOT FORGET THAT SCENE, AND SO HE TRIED TO GO AGAIN, BUT NEVER AGAIN COULD HE FIND THAT CAVERN
THIS DEMONIC ISLAND...
BEFORE IT WAS NAMED MOMO-TAROU..
SHOULD'VE BEEN A PEACEFUL ISLAND FULL OF PEACHES
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Knock
Knock
Knock
Knock
AAAAH! THE DEMON'S HERE!
QUICK, STRENGTHEN THE DOOR!
I WON'T BE ABLE TO HOLD THIS MUCH LONGER!
SHIT, IT'S TOO LATE!
EVEN IF ONLY KAWARA SURVIVES RUN!
AAAAAHHH!!!
PFF
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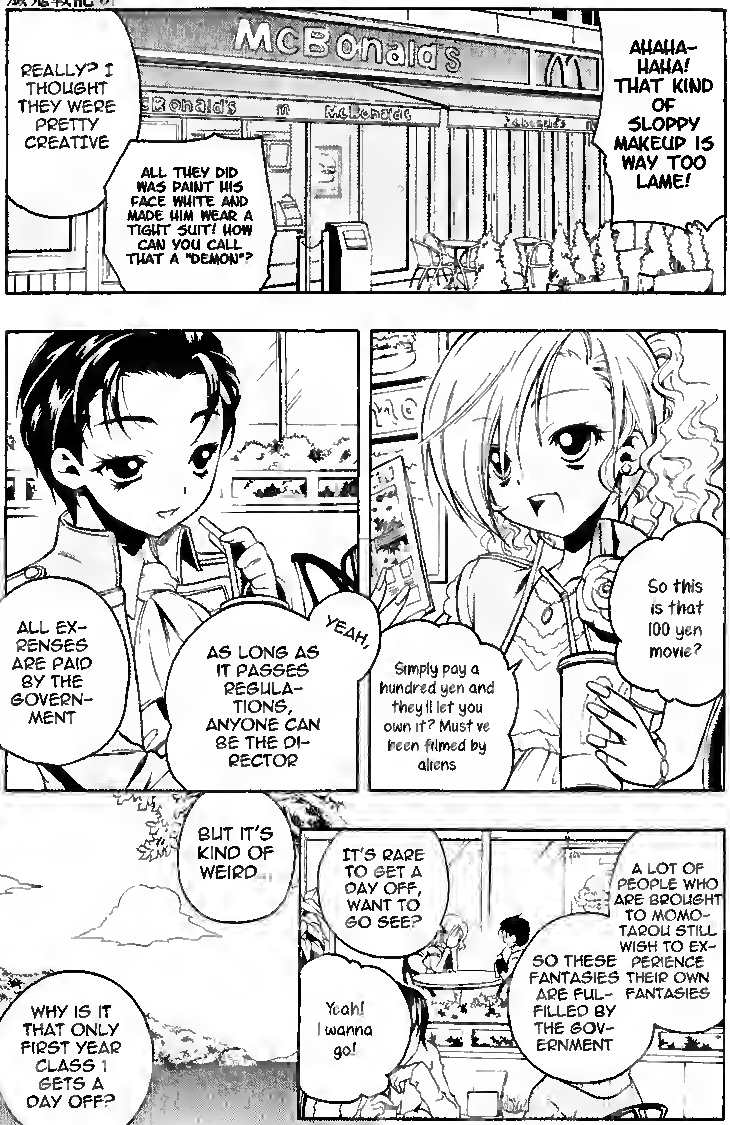
McBonald's
AHAHA-HAHA! THAT KIND OF SLOPPY MAKEUP IS WAY TOO LAME!
REALLY? I THOUGHT THEY WERE PRETTY CREATIVE
ALL THEY DID WAS PAINT HIS FACE WHITE AND MADE HIM WEAR A TIGHT SUIT! HOW CAN YOU CALL THAT A "DEMON"?
So this is that 100 yen movie?
Simply pay a hundred yen and they'll let you own it? Must've been filmed by aliens
YEAH,
AS LONG AS IT PASSES REGULATIONS, ANYONE CAN BE THE DIRECTOR
ALL EXPENSES ARE PAID BY THE GOVERNMENT
A LOT OF PEOPLE WHO ARE BROUGHT TO MOMOTAROU STILL WISH TO EXPERIENCE THEIR OWN FANTASIES
SO THESE FANTASIES ARE FULFILLED BY THE GOVERNMENT
IT'S RARE TO GET A DAY OFF, WANT TO GO SEE?
Yeah! I wanna go!
BUT IT'S KIND OF WEIRD
WHY IS IT THAT ONLY FIRST YEAR CLASS 1 GETS A DAY OFF?

PLUS, THE FACT THAT THE CHAIRMAN SEEMS TO DISLIKE THEM... THEY PROBABLY WON'T COME BACK ALIVE.
ON MOMOTAROU, PEOPLE WITH NO DEMON HUNTER ABILITIES HAVE NO NEED TO EXIST.
Hey..
ISN'T CLASS 2 HAVING THEIR BATTLE TRAINING CLASS?
YEAH
MIGHT HAVE SOMETHING TO DO WITH MUTSU AND KASHII
Let me ask you, Yura-san
Is there any place where I can experience the fantasy of being an idol or an actress?
If there is, I just have to go!
I want to take romantic gravure photos with Chairman-sama!
That's be so cute right?
UMM, WELL...
THERE ARE PLACES WHERE THEY ARE RECRUITING ACTRESSES BUT...
UNFORTUNATELY, TAKING PHOTOS WITH THE CHAIRMAN IS IMPOSSIBLE
EH? WHY!?

LIKE I SAID...
FILMING TRAINING INSTRUC-TORS IS PROHIBITED
SECOND LIEUTENANT KIRI-SAN
THE PROBLEM IS YOU'RE TRYING TO GET ME INTO THE MOVIE!
IF YOU NEED SOMEONE TO ACT AS AN AMERICAN COMMANDER, YOU CAN ASK KEITH OR TAKASHI
Nurse
I'M NOT SAYING A WAR MOVIE IS BAD...

WE'RE NOT TALKING ABOUT THAT RIGHT NOW
OK, THEN I'LL LET YOU SEE ANOTHER ACTION FIGURE
I THINK IT'LL SUIT YOU, DON'T YOU THINK?
HM?
THIS
DIDN'T YOU LIKE THE UNIFORMS IN TROPIC LIGHTNING?
A CHANGABLE COOL OUTFIT IS ESSENTIAL FOR THE VIETNAM WAR, A SHOW OF AUTHORITY AND TASTE
HEY!
LISTEN TO ME! AT LEAST TAKE OFF THAT FIGURE'S HEAD!
I GIVE UP ON THIS FILM
IF LANGLEY-SENSEI DOESN'T SHOW UP, THERE'S NO POINT
AND
DON'T WORRY, UNDERWEAR IS ALSO REMOVABLE

WHEN I GET BACK, MAY I USE YOUR WARE-HOUSE?
THERE ARE SOME WAR FILMS I'D LIKE TO WATCH WHILE PREPARING FOR THE NEXT MOVIE PLOT
THIS IS MY APPLICA-TION
OH, OKAY
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SIGH
LETTING THAT KIND OF PERSON ON THIS ISLAND SURE IS TROUBLE-SOME
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THIS IS PRETTY WELL MADE
Is this hand-made?
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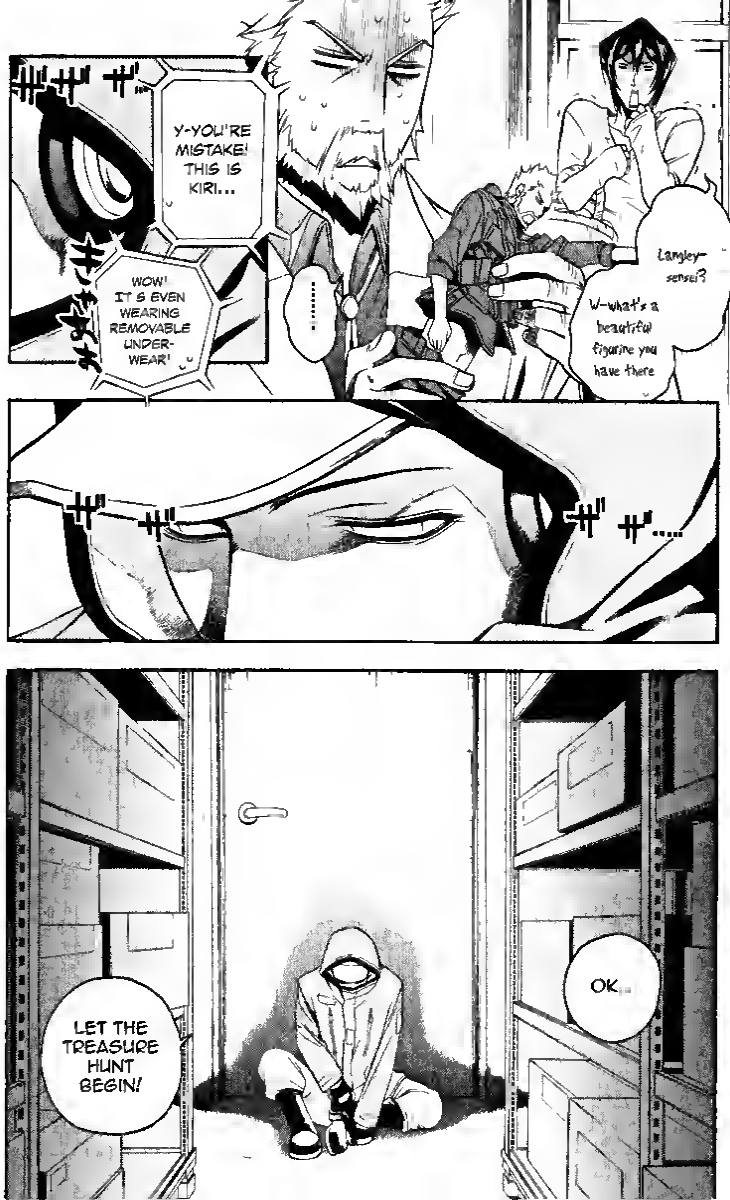
Y-YOU'RE MISTAKE! THIS IS KIRI...
WOW! IT'S EVEN WEARING REMOVABLE UNDER-WEAR!
Langley-sensei?
W-what's a beautiful figurine you have there
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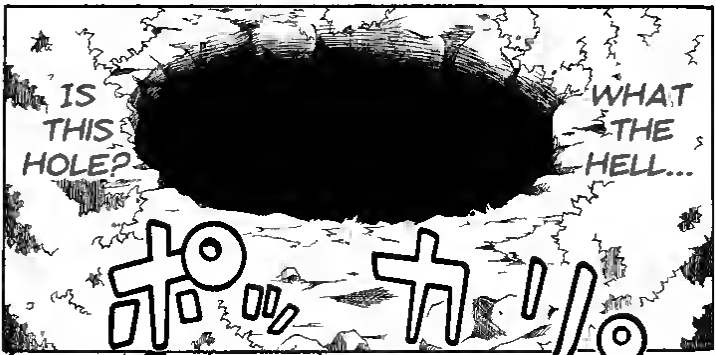
LET THE TREASURE HUNT BEGIN!
OK...

Hah...
Hah...
Hah...


IS THIS HOLE?
WHAT THE HELL...
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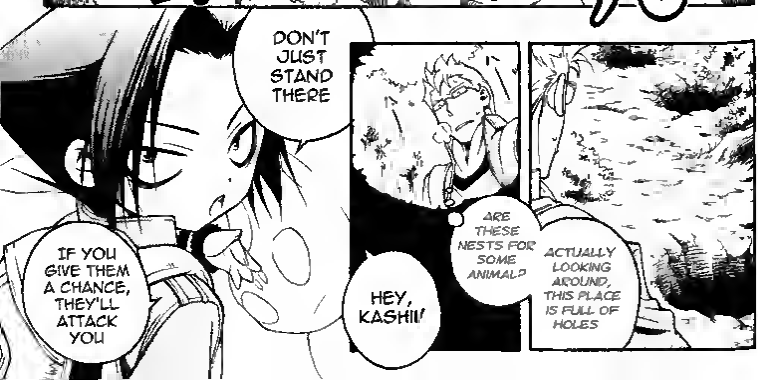
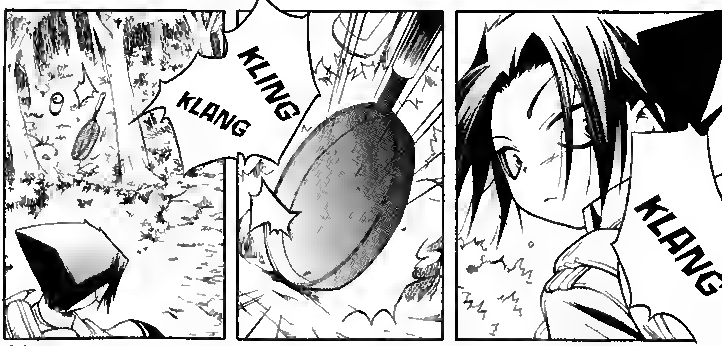

DON'T JUST STAND THERE
IF YOU GIVE THEM A CHANCE, THEY'LL ATTACK YOU
HEY, KASHII!
ARE THESE NESTS FOR SOME ANIMAL?
ACTUALLY LOOKING AROUND, THIS PLACE IS FULL OF HOLES

DAMN IT, I'VE HAD ENOUGH
TRYING TO SCARE THE GOOSE BUMPS OUT OF ME RIDICULOUS
Huh? actually (lol)
GO AHEAD ALONE IF YOU WANT!
BUT THE DEMONS AREN'T GOING TO LET YOU REST IN PEACE
SHUT UP!
LET ME REST FOR A WHILE!
ASKING ME TO LET YOU REST IS OKAY,
DEMONS AREN'T EVEN AP-PEARING!
.....?
I'M BEGIN-NING TO THINK THIS IS ALL A PRACTICAL JOKE...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NNNNGGHH
(Mutsu)
MMMPFFF
NNNNNGGGGHHH!!!
(Make it help me)
NNNN
GGGH
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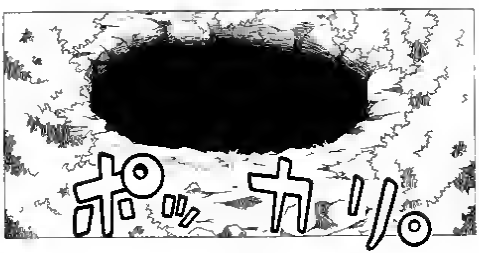
NNNNNGGGH
HHH
(I'm getting
taken away)
DROP
OUT

ARRH!
W-WHAT HAP-PENED?
IT SUD-DENLY WENT BACK
THAT'S THE EFFECT OF MO-MOTAMA
GEH!

AN IMMORTAL WHO COULDN'T RESCUE HIS WIFE, YOKO, WAS CHASED BY THE ARMIES OF ACHERON
WHEN HE THREW THREE MOMOTAMA AT THEM, THEY ALL RAN AWAY IN AN INSTANT
CONGRATULATIONS, KASHI!
YOU EARNED BACK ONE LIFE POINT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STOP
COMING
AFTER
ME!!
KASHII, WAIT!

ONLY FIVE APPEARED. IT SEEMS THERE'S A LIMITED NUMBER OF THEM
THEY DON'T SEEM TO BE VERY SMART EITHER
YOU WANT ME TO DIE!?
BASTARD!
GO GET IT!
YOU FORGOT TO BRING THE TREE BRANCHES

第13話
「桃弧、棘矢，以除其災」

Chapter 13:
Bow of Peach Wood and Arrow of Thistle, Destroyer of Calamity

EH?

FLOP
BOW OF PEACH WOOD AND ARROW OF THISTLE, DESTROYER OF CALAMITY
THIS BOW WAS MADE BY ME FROM PEACH WOOD AND HARD WOOD
INFLICTION OF DAMAGE IS NEAR ZERO
BUT AGAINST DEMONS THIS IS SUPER EFFECTIVE
M... MUTSU ...

YOU BRAT! EVEN IF IT'S HARMLESS, YOU SHOULDN'T BE SHOOTING AT HUMANS!
WHAT'LL HAPPEN IF IT HIT MY EYE!?
FOR THAT I APOLOGIZE, BUT YOU BETTER RETRIEVE THE BRANCHES
EVEN THOUGH THAT SHOT WAS EFFECTIVE, IT WASN'T A FATAL BLOW
UNFORTUNATELY, IT SEEMS...
ONLY DEMON HUNTERS CAN KILL THESE DEMONS

KASHII, RUN MORE STEADILY WILL YOU!
DON'T ASK FOR THE IMPOS-SIBLE!!
JUST GOOD, KEEP RUNNING NORTH-WARD!
THE SECOND SHELTER SHOULDN'T BE TOO FAR NOW

GOOD GOING!
HAH
HAH
I-IS THAT IT?
HAH
THAT'S THE SHEL-TER?
HAH
I ONLY HAVE 5 ARROWS LEFT..
WHAT!?
KASHII
RUN LIKE YOUR LIFE DEPENDS ON IT
AH?

THREE!
FOUR LEFT!
TWO!
ONE...

SHIT!
MUTSU!

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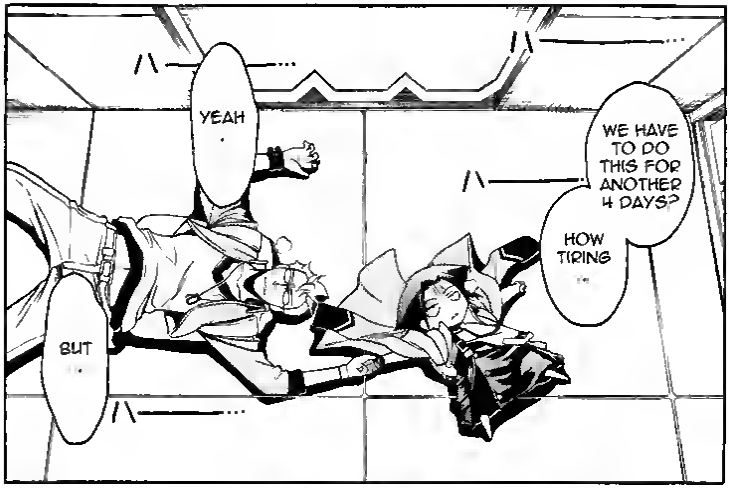
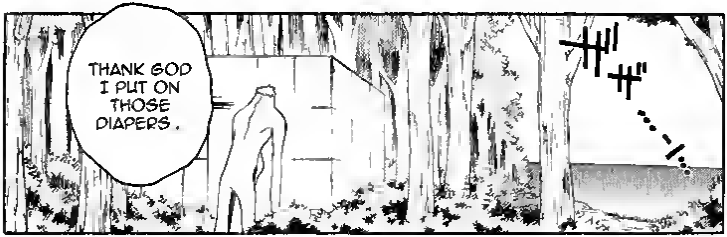
HAH——!
HAH——!


YEAH.
BUT...
WE HAVE TO DO THIS FOR ANOTHER 4 DAYS?
HOW TIRING...


THANK GOD I PUT ON THOSE DIAPERS.

PLEASE DON'T SAY THAT, CHAIRMAN-SAMA!
HOW BORING... NOTHING HAPPENED, THEY'RE STILL ALIVE

CAN I COME KEEP TRACK OF THEM AGAIN TO-MORROW?
EH? NO WAY
OK, BUT IT REALLY IS FOR-TUNATE
THEY WON'T BE LEAVING THERE TODAY
STOP HAGGLING, COME ON BACK
"BUT"?
THEY'RE GIVING IT THEIR ALL, AREN'T THEY?
OH.
THE STUDENTS ARE TRYING SO HARD, YET YOU AS A TEACHER ARE DOUBTING THEM?
BUT...
OR ELSE THE OTHER STUDENTS WILL GET SUSPICIOUS
TOMORROW YOU HAVE TO START CLASS AGAIN

EH?
I GOT IT.
OK, COME BACK SAFELY
MOMO-MARU...
IS HEADING OUT TO SEA?

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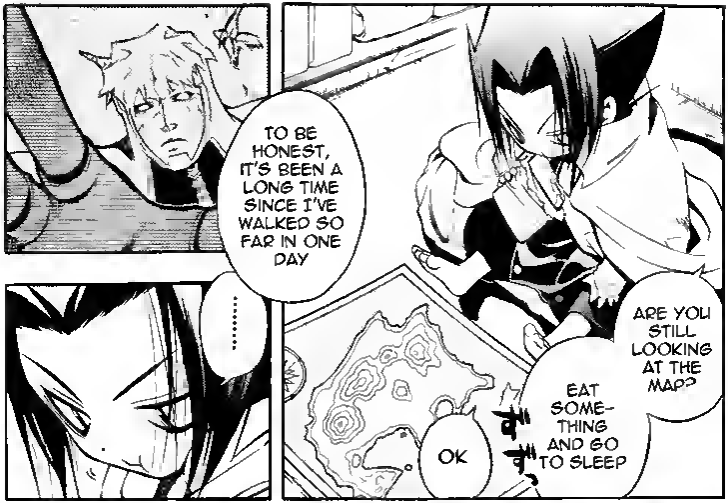
AH...
I FINALLY FEEL AT PEACE AFTER EATING SUPPER


TO BE HONEST, IT'S BEEN A LONG TIME SINCE I'VE WALKED SO FAR IN ONE DAY
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ARE YOU STILL LOOKING AT THE MAP?
EAT SOME-THING AND GO TO SLEEP
OK

KASHI!
HM?
I HAVE A PRO-POSAL
LET'S HEAD OFF SEPARATELY TOMORROW

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YOU SPIT AND YOU DROOL, YOU'RE PRETTY BAD MANNERED
OH SORRY! I SHOULD BE EATING
HEY!
WHAT ARE YOU SAYING?
YOU WANT TO LEAVE ME!?
DON'T SAY IT LIKE THAT
And don't say it with your mouth full
IT TOOK A LOT OF EFFORT TO GET HERE TODAY, AND TOMORROW WON'T LIKELY BE ANY EASIER.
WE HAVE TO TRY OUT SOME TACTICS
IF THERE'S ONLY ONE PERSON, THEY MIGHT THINK IT'S A TRAP AND STAY PUT

WORSE COMES TO WORST, AT LEAST ONE OF US CAN SURVIVE
WAIT ...

WHAT'S THIS BULL-CRAP ABOUT SURVIVAL? EVEN YOU...
IF THINGS AREN'T GOING WELL, WE CAN SIGNAL KOU-SENSE!
IF WE'RE FAR APART, THAT'LL CONFUSE HIM
KASHII
NEVER USE THE SMOKE FLARE
THE ENDING WILL ONLY BE OF DESPAIR
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GOING BESIDE THE FOREST, HIDING PLACES ARE PLENTY, BUT WILL REQUIRE A LOT OF STAMINA
GOING BESIDE THE BEACH, YOU WON'T EASILY GO ASTRAY, BUT THERE ARE NO HIDING PLACES AVAILABLE

NEITHER ROADS WILL BE EASY,
PICK YOUR CHOICE
HEY
DON'T DECIDE ON YOUR OWN!
YOU WANT ME TO GO ALONE IN A PLACE FULL OF DEMONS?
JUST SAY I WON'T BE DISCOVERED, WHAT DO YOU EXPECT ME TO EAT? WHERE WILL I SLEEP?
I DON'T HAVE THAT KIND OF KNOWLEDGE LIKE YOU!
THEN YOU CAN GO ALONG THE BEACH. YOU'LL REACH THE NEXT SHELTER WITH NO PROBLEM IF YOU'RE NOT SIGHTED
LIKE THIS ONE, THE SHELTERS WILL PROVIDE YOU WITH ENOUGH FOOD
B-BUT THERE'S ONLY ENOUGH FOR ONE PERSON
I CAN EAT NATURAL PLANTS
JUST WORRY ABOUT YOURSELF
Uuu..
Uuuuu..

Y-YOU'RE DOING THIS...
BECAUSE YOU THINK I'M USELESS RIGHT? I'LL JUST GET IN YOUR WAY!
YOU YOU WANT TO USE SOME CLEVER TRICK AND LEAVE BY YOURSELF!
GEH!
I'M AN INTRUDER WITH NO DEMON HUNTER ABILITIES, BUT YOU'RE A RECRUITED STUDENT
YOUR CHANCES OF SURVIVAL IS HIGHER THAN MINE
AND IF YOU THINK ABOUT IT,
YOU'RE MISUNDERSTANDING...
I NO LONGER HAVE ANYTHING TO COMBAT THE DEMONS
MAYBE THE REASON YOU CAN'T TRANSFORM
H?
THE MACHINE GUNS HERE DON'T EVEN HAVE AS MUCH FIREPOWER AS MY WOODEN BOW

IS BE-
CAUSE
YOU'RE
HANGING
AROUND
ME
YOU'LL BE
ABLE TO
FIND OUT
TOMORROW
YOU...
SOME PEOPLE
ONLY AWAKEN
THEIR SENSES
WHEN THEY'RE
PUSHED TO A
CORNER
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THIS IS THE SAME
THEY DON'T CHANGE.
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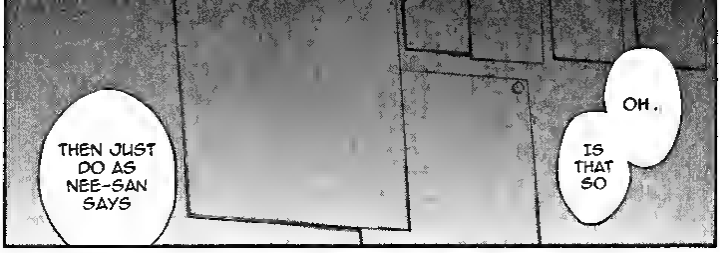
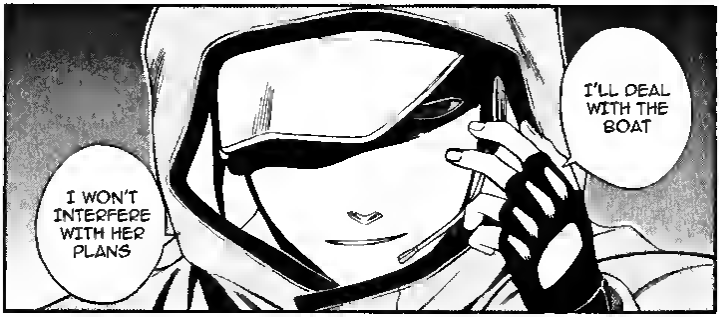
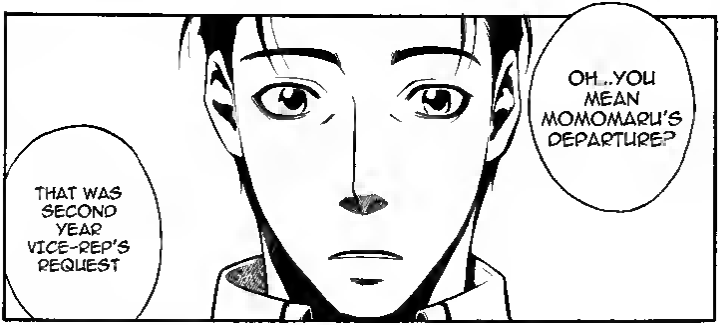
GIVE ME YOUR REPORT
THIS IS HEAD-QUAR-TERS


OH.
IS THAT SO
THEN JUST DO AS NEE-SAN SAYS


I'LL DEAL WITH THE BOAT
I WON'T INTERFERE WITH HER PLANS


OH..YOU MEAN MOMOMARU'S DEPARTURE?
THAT WAS SECOND YEAR VICE-REP'S REQUEST

I HEAR IT'S TO INVEST "GATE"
THE MAINTA-NENCE TEAM TAGGED ALONG TOO, TO SEE HOW WELL MOMOMARU MOVES THEY SAY
OH . SO THAT'S IT

NO WAY. HEALTHY AS A DOG, I NEVER GET SICK
TODAY IS FOR SOME-THING ELSE
THAT'S RIGHT, YOU TOOK A SICK LEAVE TODAY, SENSEI
ARE YOU SICK?
YOU HAVE TO TAKE CARE OF YOURSELF, WITHOUT THE BOAT, THERE'S NO WAY TO HELP YOU IF YOU'RE SICK
I'LL BE BACK IN CLASS TO-MORROW
AS EXPECTED, IT'S IMPOSSIBLE TO LOOK AFTER THOSE TWO FOR LONGER THAN A DAY.
BUT...
I STILL WANT TO HELP THEM...

The Next Day
Morning
I'm leaving first
Don't cry!
I took two bags of food
I took this gun
M.
MUTSU THAT BAS-TARD!
HE ACTUALLY...
LEFT ME AND TOOK OFF FIRST!
HM?

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Eee
IT FEELS LIKE EVEN A BOX COULD OFFER ME MORE HIDING.
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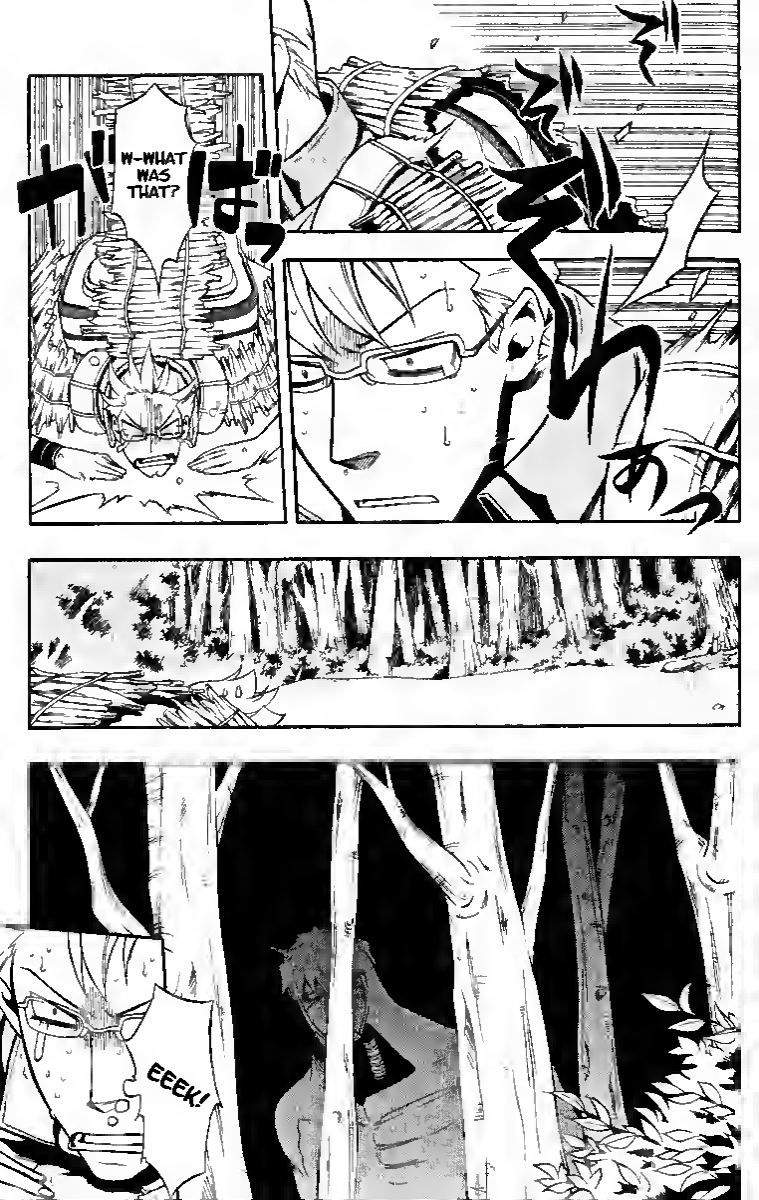
STILL... IF I WERE IN THE FOREST, I'D BE ABLE TO HIDE EASIER
MAYBE IF YOU COVER YOURSELF WITH IT, PASSING DEMONS WON'T BE ABLE TO DETECT YOU
PEACH TREE BRANCHES HAVE AN ANTI-DEMON EFFECT


W-WHAT WAS THAT?
EEEK!

スウ…
THESE BRANCHES REALLY DO WORK
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IT LEFT?
BUT, JUST THEN...
DID I ACTUALLY SENSE THE DEMON COMING...?
"SOME PEOPLE ONLY AWAKEN THEIR SENSES WHEN THEY'RE PUSHED TO A CORNER"
……
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SOMETHING INSIDE YOUR BODY... IS DIRECTING THE DEMONS TOWARDS YOU
HMPH! I'LL GENEROUSLY ACCEPT THAT COMPLIMENT!
HOWEVER!

THIS SITUATION IS RIDICU-LOUS!
!?
!!
AH!
ARRHH!

YOU DEMONS!
IF YOU CALL YOURSELF AN INTECTUAL BEING, THEN ANSWER ME!
WHY DO YOU ATTACK ME!?
オオオオ
DO YOU UNDER-STAND ME?
I AM A BLOOD DE-SCENDENT OF THE DEMONS, MUTSU KO-KONOSEI!

INSIDE MY BODY IS STILL THE TRUE DNA THAT OF A DEMON'S!
HAVING LIVED WITH HUMANS FOR OVER 800 YEARS...
MY BODY IS NO LONGER A DEMON'S BUT,
LOOK!

HEH...
HAHA, REALLY ...
AFTER TOUCHING MY BLOOD, YOU FINALLY REALIZE
I AM HERE TO RESCUE YOU FROM YOUR PITIFUL EXISTENCE!
COME, DEMONS! JOIN MY SIDE!

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SIZZLE
CON-
CEN-
TRATE
CONCEN
TRATE!

第14話 Naive Notion
「植入了無意識的天真」

I ALWAYS THOUGHT THE ABILITY TO SEE SPIRITS WAS ANNOYING, DISGUSTING
NEVER THOUGHT I COULD PUT THIS TO ACTUAL USE
WHO— KNEW I COULD DO SOME-THING LIKE THAT!
I'M PRETTY AMAZING!
EVEN I WAS SUR-PRISED
Bang!
Bang!
Bang!
!!

WHY ARE THERE SO MANY!?
WHY ...
THAT IDIOT MUTSU! JUST YESTERDAY HE WAS STILL TALKING BIG...
AND NOW HE'S CAUGHT ALREADY!?
KCHING

Editor comment: I suppose this is the "Gun of Peach Wood and Bullet of Thistle"?
YOU ROTTEN DEMONS!
CURSES!
Rwar
ざっ!!

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!!
ひそ
ひそ..
IN THIS KIND OF SITUA-TION,
THE AMOUNT OF TIME YOU CAN HOLD YOUR SOUL TRANSFOR-MATION WILL DEPEND...
ON YOUR WILL-POWER
SINCE HE DIDN'T COME FOR BREAKFAST, I WAS A BIT WORRIED...
BUT IT SEEMS HE'S DOING FINE

KOU-SEN-SEI
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
PRESI-DENT
.....
YEAH
ARE YOU FEELING BORED?
I'M NOT DOING ANYTHING. NEED SOME-THING?
YOU SHOULD CALL ME CHAIR-MAN

GOOD NEWS!
NO KID-DING
MY BORE-DOM HAS REACHED A LEVEL OF ANNOY-ANCE
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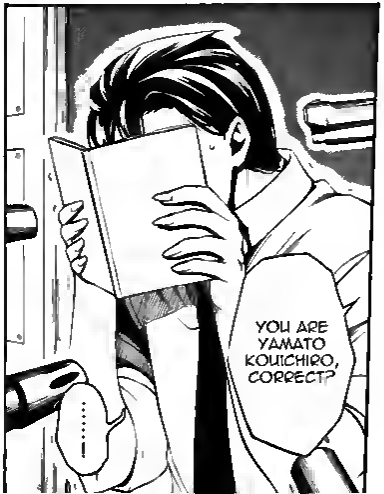
STARTING TODAY, THINGS'LL BE WAY MORE EXCITING!
CRACK
WAAAAAHHH!
WHA-?


YOU ARE YAMATO KOUICHIRO, CORRECT?
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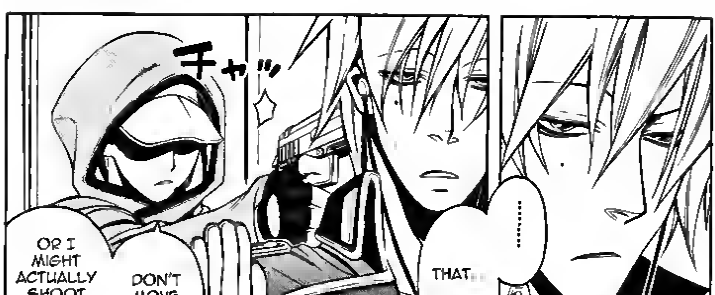
GOOD KIDS, DON'T TRY TO MOVE!


チャッ
DON'T MOVE
OR I MIGHT ACTUALLY SHOOT YOU
THAT...
.....

EEK!
I-I'M NOT!
Y-YOU GOT THE WRONG PERSON!

I WAS JUST FILLING IN KOU-SENSEI!
WHAT?
HEH, THOUGHT SO

HOW DID IT BECOME LIKE THIS! KOU-SENSEI, COME BACK PLEASE!!
OH, IT'S NAGARA
NOOOOOOOOOO!
IT WAS KOU-SENSEI WHO TOLD ME TO SWITCH A CLASS FOR HIM!
十
THAT WAS DANGER-OUS
WHY DIDN'T YOU USE THE SIGNAL FLARE, KOKONOSE KUN?
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WAAAAHHH!!
KOUICHI RO..
DAMN YOU MUTSU!
DON'T YOU DARE DIE ON ME!
HAHA.. WEIRD..
WHAT'S THIS SITUATION?

Gwarrh!
EEEYY-AAAAA!! THEY'RE GETTING VIOLENT!
KASHII-KUN!
WHOA?
WHAA!
AH..
AAH!
AH

I ALWAYS BE-LIEVED IN YOU! REALLY!
Y-YEAH, AS LONG AS YOU TWO ARE SAFE
WUAAAHH! KOU-SENSEI!
I KNEW IT... I KNEW YOU'D COME SAVE US!
YOU ARE MY SAVIOR!
BUT NOW ...
WE'VE FAILED THE EXAMINA-TION
.....

AH?
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
WHEN KOUICHIROU SAVED US OUT OF GOOD WILL...
AT THAT MOMENT, OUR EXAM NO LONGER HAS ANY MEANING
WHAT AN UNEX-PECTED OUTCOME
IT WAS ME WHO SELECTED KASHII-KUN...
SENSEI
AND THE ONE WHO ASKED FOR KOKONOSEI TO STAY WAS ALSO ME...
THAT'S NOT IT...
I DIDN'T DO IT JUST BECAUSE OF KIND-NESS
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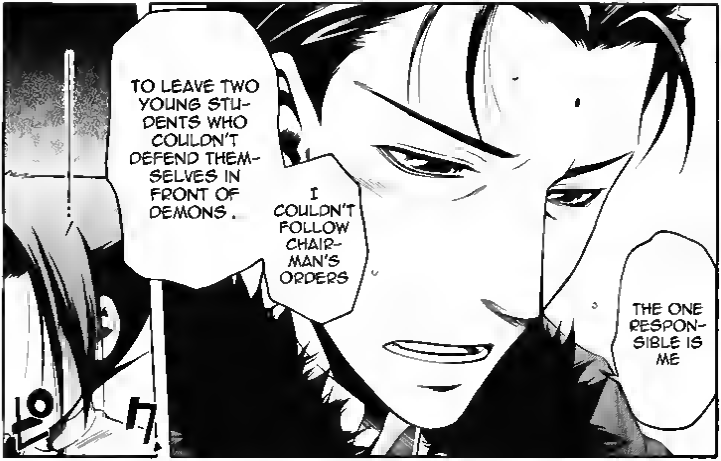
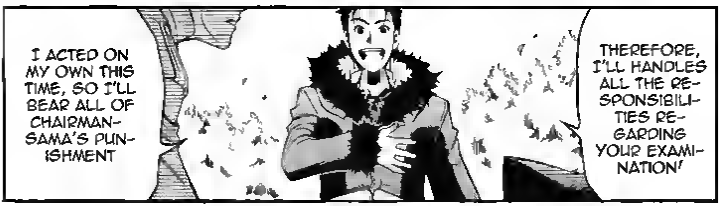
OW!
BAS-TARD!
WE WERE SAVED AND YET YOU...
NO,


TO LEAVE TWO YOUNG STUDENTS WHO COULDN'T DEFEND THEMSELVES IN FRONT OF DEMONS.
I COULDN'T FOLLOW CHAIRMAN'S ORDERS
THE ONE RESPONSIBLE IS ME


I ACTED ON MY OWN THIS TIME, SO I'LL BEAR ALL OF CHAIRMAN-SAMA'S PUNISHMENT
THEREFORE, I'LL HANDLES ALL THE RESPONSIBILITIES REGARDING YOUR EXAMINATION!

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K-K-
KOU-SEN-SEI!
THIS IS BETTER THAN SEEING YOU TWO SUFFER
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BUT.
I'M GRATEFUL OF YOUR RESCUE-ING ME
MY RESPECT FOR YOU HAS GONE WAY DOWN
LOOK
WHA?

AS LONG AS THE SEAL IS UNHARMED, IT CAN DRIVE AWAY DEMONS, AND WHEN I'M HARMED, IT'LL ACT AS A SUBSTITUTE AND BURST
THIS IS A SENAKAMORI IT IS A SEAL PUT BEHIND A CHILD'S BACK
I'VE BEEN USING THIS TOY FOR EXORCISING DEMONS SINCE I WAS ONE YEAR
BUT IN THE LEAST,
THIS DOESN'T OFFER A LOT OF PROTECTION
IS TO ME, AN EXTREME HUMILIATION
SAYING I CAN'T DEFEND MYSELF...

FOR TODAY'S INCIDENT
I WILL NO DOUBT HOLD YOU RESPON-SIBLE
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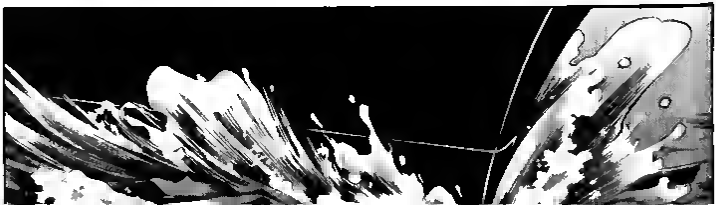
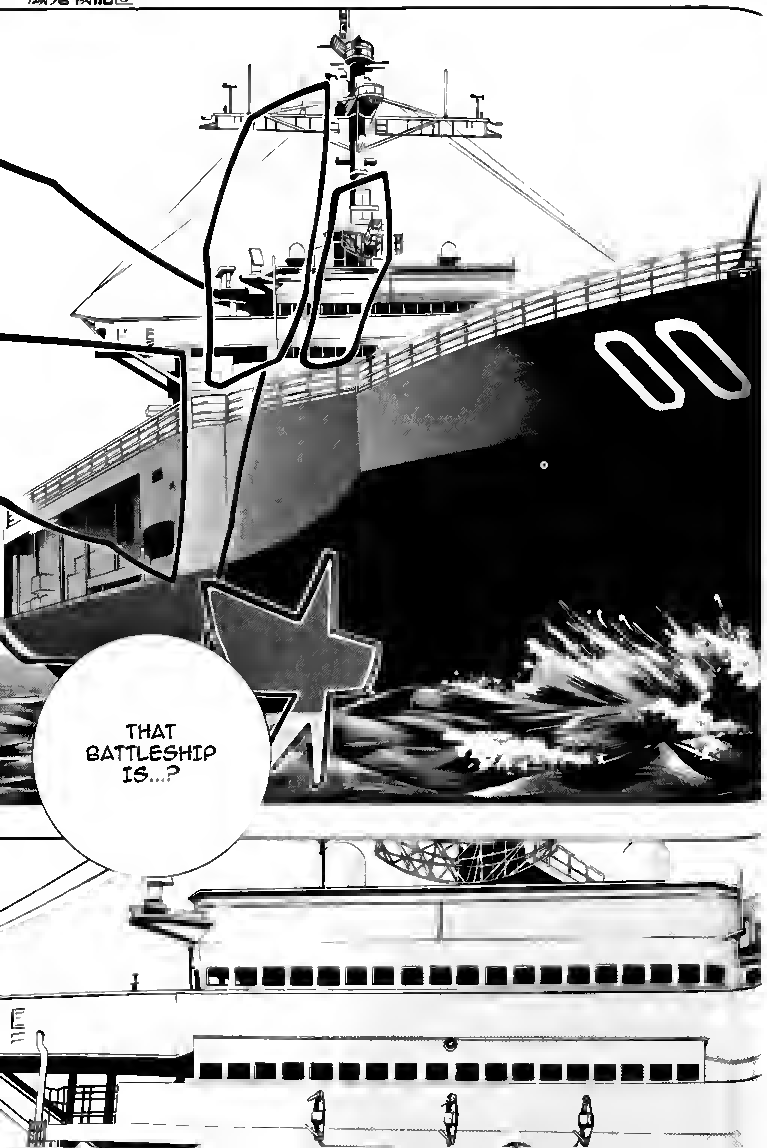
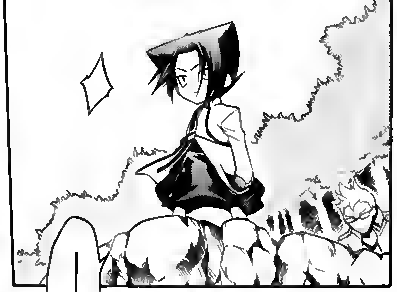
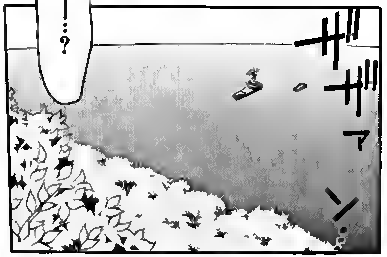
YOU HAVE EMBEDDED INTO OUR MINDS
A NAIVE NOTION THAT WE'LL BE SAVED EVEN WHEN WE'RE IN GREAT DANGER




THAT BATTLESHIP IS...?

WHAT?

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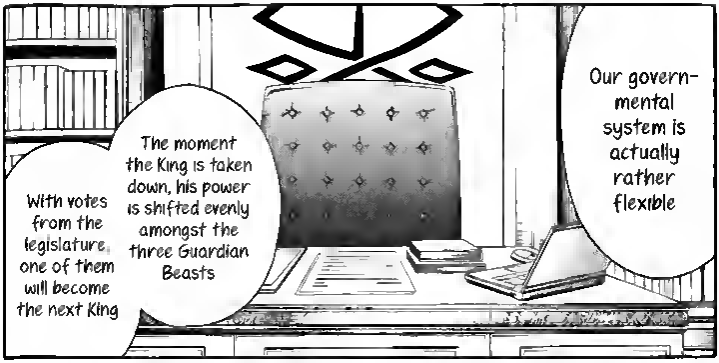
A COUP D'ETAT SIMPLY NEEDS TO BE EFFECTIVE
BUT IT'S INEVITIBLE
CHANGING HOSTAGE WASN'T PART OF THE PLAN
NOW,
WHO WANTS TO ACCOMPANY ME TO THE "CASTLE"?

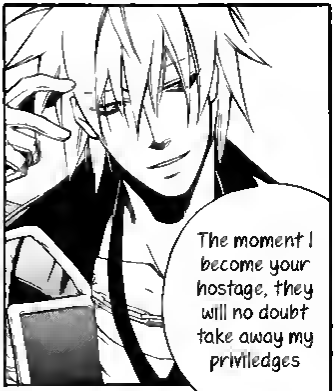
Yes,
Hey Chairman, surrendering so early?
Me
I want to be the hostage sounds fun
Wait, his ropes are loose...?

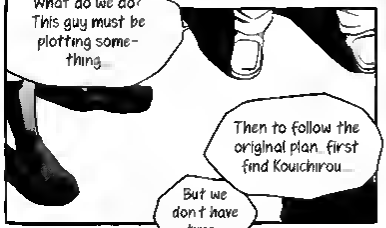
CHAPTER 15 AN UNINVITED GUEST
第15話 「不預期的外來之客」

Didn't I tell you not to move?
.....
You need to stay here to answer our negotiations
Our goal isn't to conquer this island
You don't need to be so anxious
Let me tell you how Tougen Island's government works
It'll actually save you some trouble
But if you take me
If we take you for hostage, it'd be trouble-some


Our governmental system is actually rather flexible
The moment the King is taken down, his power is shifted evenly amongst the three Guardian Beasts
With votes from the legislature, one of them will become the next King

They're kind-hearted you know They'd save even a bunny at the cost of their lives
Completely different from me


The moment I become your hostage, they will no doubt take away my privileges


What do we do? This guy must be plotting something...
Then to follow the original plan, first find Kouichirou...
But we don't have time

The old man has grown senile
So the next King will be either Kouichiro or Nachi

No...

Doing it his way might not be so bad
Even at the cost of losing a few hundred subordinates
This guy won't have a care in the world
And
A kind-hearted person will be easier to manipulate,
!
I know you well,
Because we are very alike
Kchung

Pew~
Pew!
!
千

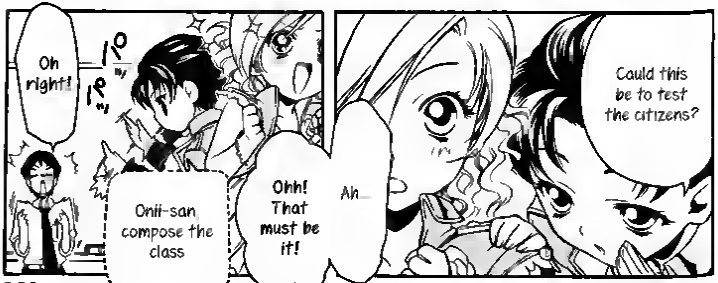
キラッ
……
I was just about to go greet you
I'm glad you came to me first
Lieutenant Colonel Langley
パ!!
Kirishima!
Bastard!
What are you trying to achieve?
I'll be speaking to the next King in a few moments
Okay Lieutenant Colonel

Otherwise I'll be giving the new recruits a very painful extracurricular class
Slide the gun over and come with your arms raised
Eh?
The hostage isn't me? How boring!
Ugh...
Curse it! If it was only the Chairman in the way, I'd shoot both of them!
Alright
It hurts~!
Yessir!
If he untles himself again just cut his hands off
Slide

Cya
Aaaaaa ahhh!
The Chairman's being taken away!
W-What do we do, Yura?

Sorry to have given you a scare, recruits
We'll be leaving now. Be good and don't try anything stupid, okay?

Why is the one taken hostage Chairman-sama!?
Calm down Yuno-san Judging from his attitude...
Aaah~ What the hell


Oh right!
Onii-san compose the class
Ohh! That must be it!
Ah...
Could this be to test the citizens?

什麼
Now let's continue class!
Onii-chan, shouldn't you be checking if anyone's injured first?
OK, everyone! Listen up!
パーン
パーン
Do not be flustered! Let's calm down first!
カシャ
カシャ
BEEP
BEEP
Please, Musashi-sama!

You HAVEN'T CHANGED
STILL THE SAME?
NAGATO.
You!
SO...
Don't worry, nothing's happened yet...
Please rest, Hibi-sama
Hibi-sama!
.....
タタッ

NACHI
Even if something happens,
I will protect this island
NACHI...
YOU MUSTN'T USE YOUR POWER...
NO MATTER WHAT...
UN-DER-STAND?
Hibi-sama...

Maybe that moment...
ヒュン
Will come earlier than expected
ヒュン
ヒュン
So that's it....

You duplicated Momomaru's gate key, then put it on your own warship...
So that's how you got through "Gate"!
.....
But, this information shouldn't be available to Second Year Class 2's vice-rep...
Say, who told you about it?
チョキン
To go as far as this...
You can fulfill your warfare fantasy in games or movies...
But to do so in reality, the cost is pretty high
This isn't Japan!

No kidding. I almost got shot by a school nurse just then
Don't joke around!
What's your goal?
Y-yes
How is it? It's more realistic right?
Aragghh!
Ahaha! This guy is too funny!
How could you not introduce him to me, Lan-chan!
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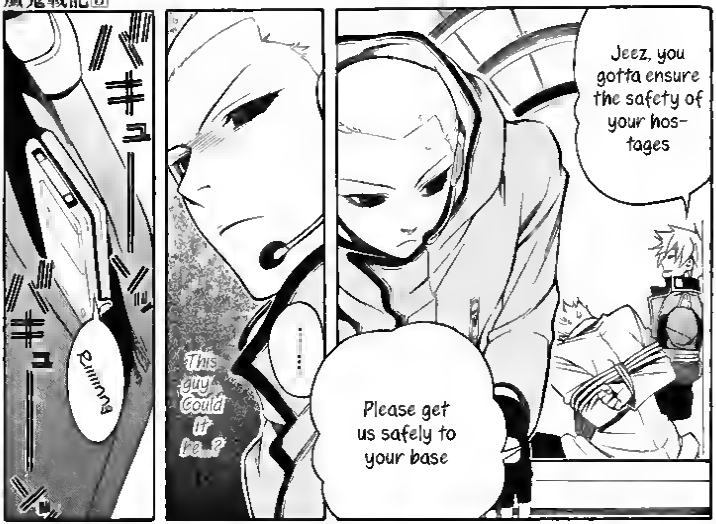
That attitude...
Is it acting?
Or are you really having fun?

Enemies?
Nay although I can't confirm
It might have just been turbulence
The copter isn't damaged


Jeez, you gotta ensure the safety of your hostages
Please get us safely to your base
This guy... Could it be...?
Gunnn
キュー

Oops ...
キュ
I was told not to untie myself...
Hey, get that guy's phone
It might be Kouichirou
Ah.. wait, can you not touch me?
Be quiet! Give me the phone!
ドゥ

Bii!
Didn't I tell you not to touch me?
Imbecile
This guy...

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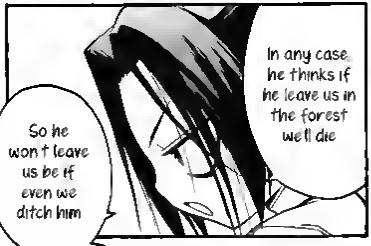
Didn't you say the exam was over? We should just follow Kou-sensei
He said he would help us too

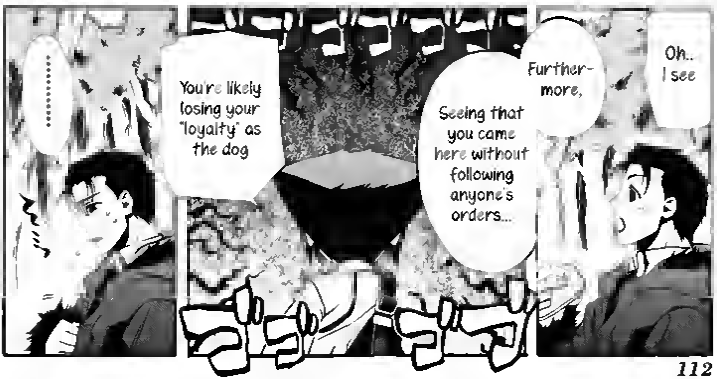
Chair-man's not picking up
What should I do? I must've been exposed
He's angry at me
Stop wasting time and do it then
Wait, mutsu! At least wait until my spirit eye goes away!


In any case, he thinks if he leave us in the forest we'll die
So he won't leave us be if even we ditch him

Even so, I want to survive in here

Kouichiro
Maybe bring those two back to school first?
Aah- What to do
Kou-sensei, Please stop Mustu!

That guy wouldn't have the time to answer your call
If it was an unexpected guest
That warship just now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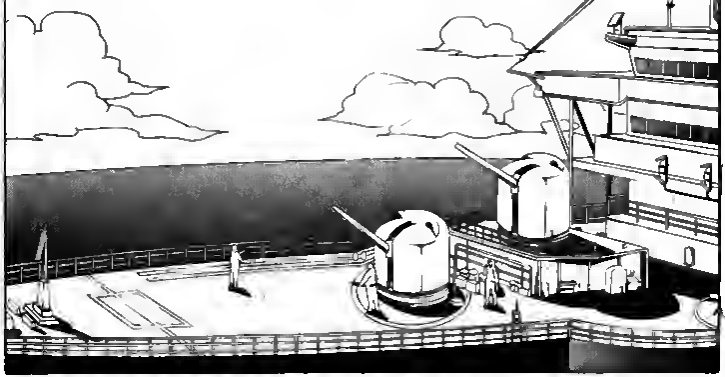
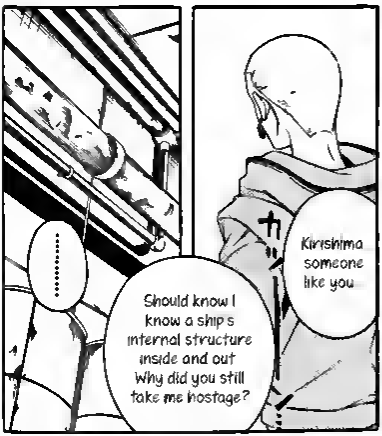
You're likely losing your "loyalty" as the dog
Seeing that you came here without following anyone's orders...
Further-more,
Oh.. I see

What the hell?
GROWL
GROWL
GROWL
What's wrong with that?
Objective is simply to find a place to eat and sleep...
OK! I've decided!
We'll make eating our first priority and go to the third shelter!
Just to eat huh...
In any case we'll be surviving like this for a while
N-No way!?




Should know I know a ship's internal structure inside and out Why did you still take me hostage?
Kirishima someone like you
……

An american warship
Just where are you guys from?
Oh? You can tell just from the inner layout? Worthy of an ex-American Lieutenant Colonel I see!

You won't be returning to the island. Instead you will serve nee-san right here on this ship
Oh? That sounds pretty perverted!
Nee-san?
You're a guest... after this is all over
Langley-san isn't a hostage
!!
Could it be...?
American fleet...
A woman who knows me...
Wouldn't be an American with blonde hair...
Kiri, that woman...
ズ
!
…

Long time no see, Chris...
Lieutenant Colonel Chris Langley
Who is that?
He's doing it again!

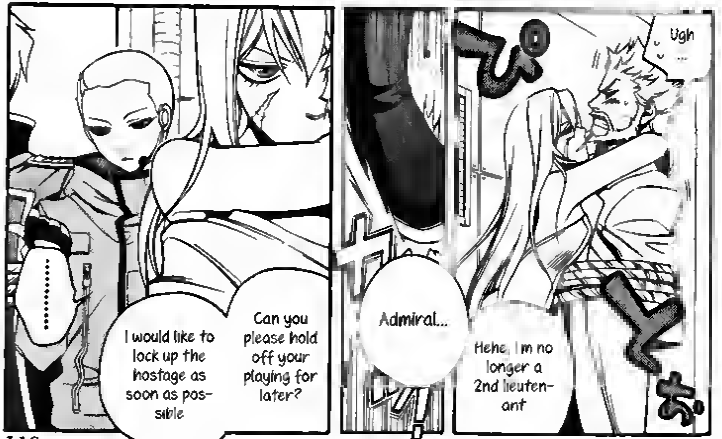
Are you really going to retire?
Chapter 16
Soul Cry
第16話
「鬼哭」
Yeah...

As expected, the battlefield doesn't suit me

I'm leaving America and going to Asia
Asia...
Please 2nd Lieutenant Marylise
Stop pursing me

You intend..
You intend to leave me just like that!?
I...
I won't give up on you, Chris!

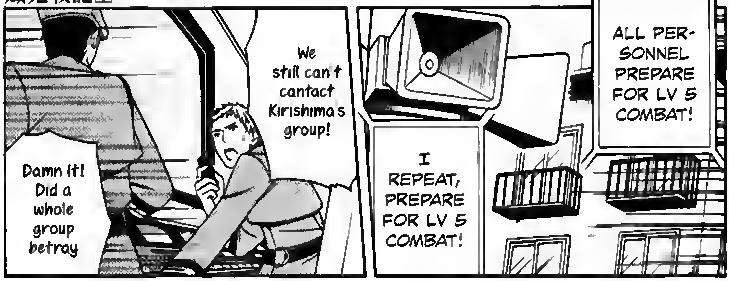
So...
So it was you, 2nd Lieutenant Marylise


Ugh...
Hehe, I'm no longer a 2nd lieutenant
Admiral...
Can you please hold off your playing for later?
I would like to lock up the hostage as soon as possible
.....

But an ojousan like this is going to be locked up? How heart-breaking
I heard the hostage wasn't Yamato Kouichirou...
Oh...
Ojousan. Young lady
Oh? Who'd have thought the "Warship Princess" isn't just a beauty on the outside but also has a gentle heart
Shouji, you're also a girl, don't be too rough
And an ojousan who was born on this beautiful island...
キラキラ
.....
If it were me, I'd never let go of you...
Why is Lan-chan dissatisfied?
キラ...

You make me sick, pink-haired ..
I'm not a lesbian
Alright come Shouji
Congratulations you weren't called an ass clown
So this is how it feels being rejected by a womon!
Feels so fresh!
パァァッ
Who do you think you are? Skinny men like you can never catch on American woman's eye
So this is
W-Wait a moment, 2nd Lieutenant
カッ
カッ
カッ カッ
カッ カッ…
You're saying... you're an admiral now?
That's right!
I retired too. then I made my own fleet
カッ カッ

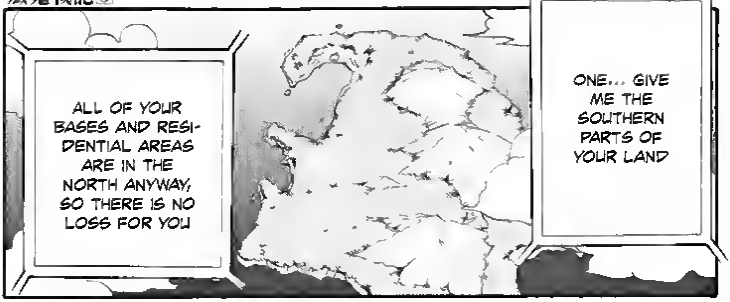
With two destroyers, huge amounts of military weapons, my trusted personnel and an army of soldiers, I have formed an elite crew!
Rich and powerful people from the Middle East helped me make this warship "Fast"
All of them are my family
We are the travelling crew "Honey Fox"!


We still can't cantact Kirishima's group!
Damn it! Did a whole group betray
ALL PERSONNEL PREPARE FOR LV 5 COMBAT!
I REPEAT, PREPARE FOR LV 5 COMBAT!

Tsukimi • Moon watch

One ship is approaching from the east and another from the west
A warship is entering Tsukimi Gulf
Affirmative
"Honey Fox" requesting communications
But our side will only use voice

THE SCREEN DOESN'T SEEM TO BE WORKING
HUH?
BZZZT!
I have no need to show the command center to an intruder
HEHE, EVEN THE VOICE IS FAKE
OK, WHAT-EVER
I'VE AL-READY ROUGHLY GRASPED YOUR SITUA-TION... "MISTER"?
I AM THE MISTRESS OF HONEY FOX, MARYLISE SOLARIS
FOR THE RE-LEASE OF THE HOS-TAGES, I HAVE THREE CONDITIONS


ONE... GIVE ME THE SOUTHERN PARTS OF YOUR LAND
ALL OF YOUR BASES AND RESIDENTIAL AREAS ARE IN THE NORTH ANYWAY, SO THERE IS NO LOSS FOR YOU

TWO... TRANSFER TO ME FULL AUTHORITY TO THE "GATE"
AND THREE... KEEP THE EXISTANCE OF OUR FLEET HIDDEN
HOW ABOUT IT? THESE AREN'T UNREASONABLE REQUESTS I BELIEVE

A bunch of pirate-like guys trying to settle on a demon island?
What are you trying to pull off?
HEHE
We don't belong to any country
But occassionally we'll need to have a good rest on land and this island is perfect for a vacation!
As much as it is beautiful It's also near impossible to locate
.....!

Does she intends to...
Sell this place to criminals?!
People who smell like gunpowder will no doubt spend large amounts of money on lodging expenses for this island
Let alone radars, even satellites can't capture an image of this island. An isolated island whose location is unverified
ガヤン
!?
CHRIS!
MUSASHI-SAMA! DON'T LISTEN TO HER DEMANDS!
That's right I almost forgot
I should present to you the hostages
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Mmh?

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Langley-sensei!
AND, THE ONE WHO'S LOCKED UP IN OUR FAMILY PET'S PREVIOUS CELLAR...
YOUR COUN-TRY'S FORMER KING

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Dad
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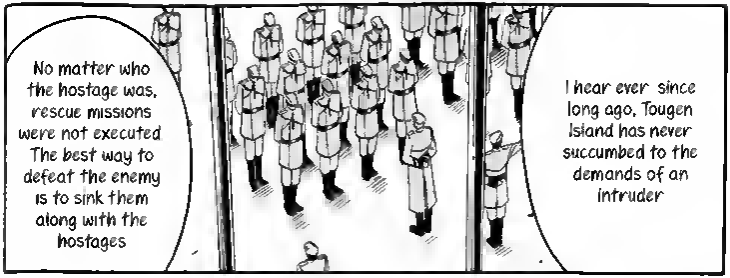
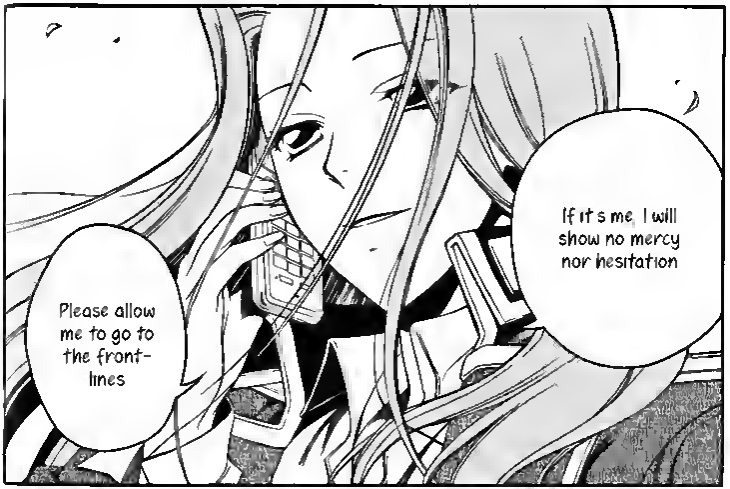
DON'T MISUNDER-STAND
BUT,
I WILL GIVE YOU ONE HOUR
AT 1300 HOURS, I WILL LISTEN TO YOUR RE-SPONSE

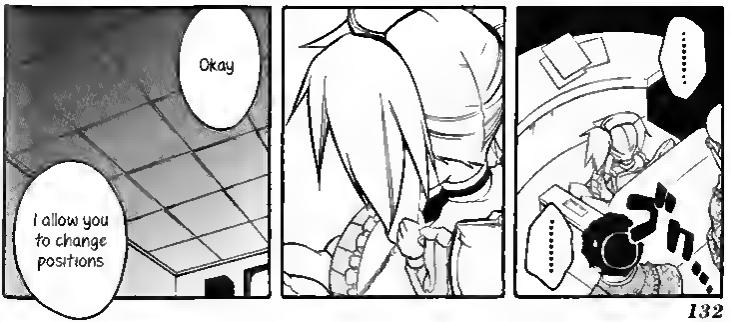
I AM ONLY FRIENDLY TOWARDS THOSE WHO UNDERSTAND REASON
Nachi-sama...
.....
Are you testing us?
Dad

If that person wishes for an end
And if we permit that...
Is that really...
An unforgivable thing?
Excuse me!
Are you...
Nachi-sama
.....
.....

Pardon my manners, this is Hattori
Will Musashi-sama listen to my request?
Let her through
Yes, I do
Hattori-sensei requesting communication
Do you allow?
To Tsukimi Gulf
YES, GO AHEAD
To meet their warship head to head
Your reason?
Thank you...
My squadron is currently defending the academy
But I would like to request a change in position


No matter who the hostage was, rescue missions were not executed The best way to defeat the enemy is to sink them along with the hostages
I hear ever since long ago, Tougen Island has never succumbed to the demands of an intruder


Please allow me to go to the front-lines
If it's me, I will show no mercy nor hesitation


Okay
I allow you to change positions
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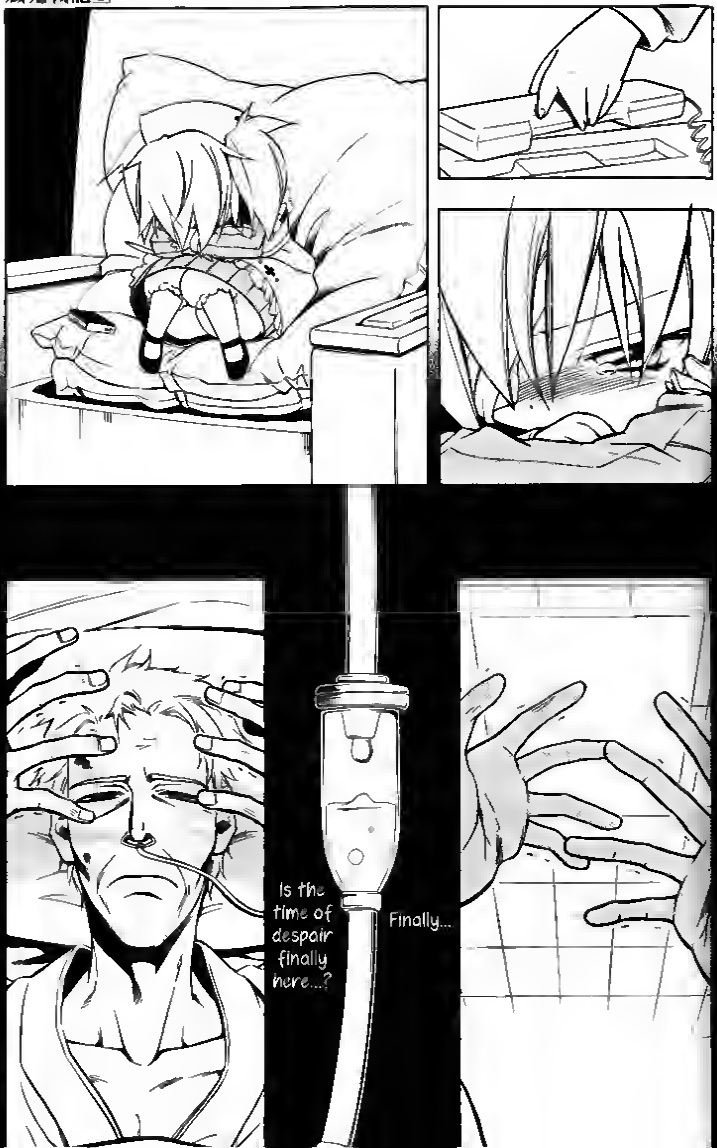
Is the time of despair finally here...?
Finally...

I... MUST...
SORRY ...
Kinyu ...
Kinyu the rabbit
STAY...
HERE

What's wrong?
Hmm...
The whole forest suddenly got quiet
Weird
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Why...
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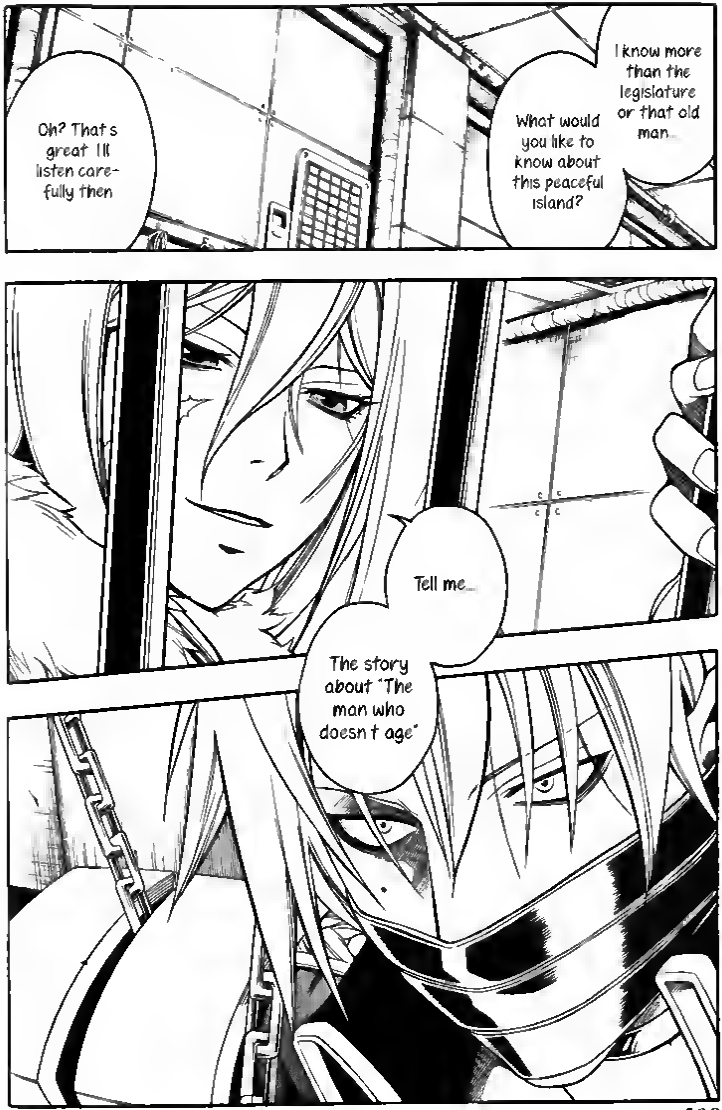
Why now?
"Soul cry"
Haha
That's right
You should be pretty familiar with its history right?
Despite how you look, you were once this island's King
Hey Pink-haired


I know more than the legislature or that old man...
What would you like to know about this peaceful island?
Oh? That's great I'll listen carefully then
Tell me...
The story about "The man who doesn't age"

Hah
An immortal man?
What the hell is that?
Indeed, saying it like that might be too delusional
Correctly speaking
It should be "The man who after approximately 150 years still looks the same"
According to the records, said man has lived for at least 550 years
Haha, you sure it isn't a mistake?
Because in my family all the men and women look very similar
That's not surprising
Hmph
He isn't from your clan

There's no way you wouldn't know
This is actually my first time watching such an ancient film
I'm truly tired
What exactly did you see?
An old picture of Tougen Island?
パチッ
This is stolen from the warehouse...
What kind of treasures did you find in there?

"The root of Tougen Island"
Its fragment...
第17話
Tell me how to use you
「告訴我你的使用法」
This sound!
W-What the heck is this?
Whhaaaa!

Melt...
What?
The demons are melting and coagulating together
!?
it's that guy
Why
Why is it appearing now?
This is impossible!

The sun is still up!
Why is it appear-ing?

IT'S HUGE!!
It's even bigger than the one I brought
Is that the boss?
No
That guy's
The kyouni
Kyouni?
Wah
It's.

It's dan-gerous!
Whoa!
Extend

Duck
Shhuuu...

Usually it only appears when the sun's down
Why is this happening now!?
But that thing's different. Not only is it bigger it's also smarter
The usual minor demons don't have much power
Hey, what do you mean kyouni?
Aaaahhh!
It really is dangerous!

It's...
That thing
That thing
Kouichirou?
Chasing after me!
Kou-sensei!
!?
Jump to the right!
Right!

Yii!
Ah!
Pew!
Kouichiro! Jump to there!
I-I can't
The kyouni is...
Look, it's the third shelter!

BEEEEEEP
The terminal room in Area F2 is gone!
It can't be wrong, it's the kyouni!

But I know one thing
We've never faced the kyouni when the Chairman and Kouichirou aren't here
Kyouni? Impossible!
Why at this time?
Will it come to the academy like usual?
I don't know
All pheasants in the southwest and southeast region listen to me!
The kyouni has appeared! Before it reaches the academy...
FIND YAMATO KOUICHIROU!

An intrusion that happens every hundreds of years...
Plus the kyouni appearing in broad daylight... What is going on?
Indeed a lot of strange things are happening this year
I'm...
Not sure either
Uu...
Uuuu...
Nachi sama!

Oh, sensei, perfect timing!
P-Pardon me!
Can you go ask for advice from Musashi-sama?
At this rate, Nachi-sama will...
Musashi-sama he...
Something terrible has happened!
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ズズズン...
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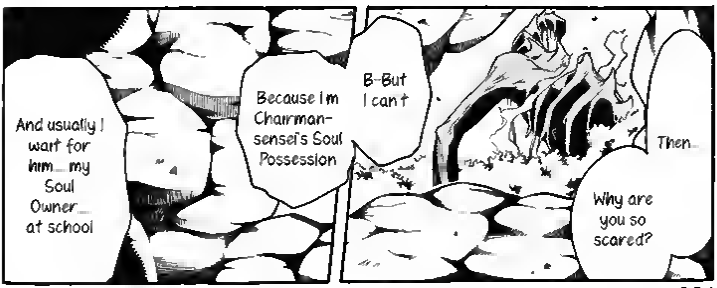
.....
It... was me
Who defeated it...
Curses... It's still coming...
Uu...
Snap out of it Kouichirou
And? How did you guys defeat it before?


Then...
Why are you so scared?
B-But I can't
Because I'm Charman-sensei's Soul Possession
And usually I wait for hmm... my Soul Owner... at school

Then I can't combat that guy...
If the Chairman not here
The Chairman has the ability to switch you into combat state
But in simpler terms
Although I'm not very clear
It's Chairman-sensei
using me to fight the demon
T-That's right
No
Then he is the one who supports you?
If it's you fighting the ghost

Then, as long as at this moment
There is someone who can use you, you can fight
Tell me
How to use you

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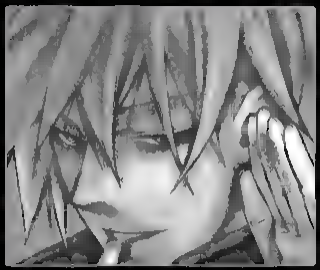
To tell you the truth, there's a 50% chance I might not scanlate volume four.

I have all the RAWs so I can just read it myself, and the manga is on hiatus anyway, so... >_>



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So now we know the Choirmon's hoir color...

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